

The Cumberland News

Filibuster Curb Defeated

Demo Heads Form Advisor Committee

Truman, Stevenson, Others Are Critical Of Administration

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4 (P)—Despite refusal of congressional leaders to join, a group of key Democrats established a permanent Advisory Committee today to make their party "more responsive and more responsible to its members and to the public."

The group, organized around such Democrats as former President Truman and Adlai E. Stevenson, the party's 1956 presidential candidate, started off by criticizing the Eisenhower administration's foreign policy and calling on Democrats to hold Eisenhower "accountable for every act of his administration."

It met in private with eight of the 11 members of the Democratic National Committee's Executive Committee and adopted a lengthy resolution pledging among other things to:

1. Provide a "collective voice" on a year-round basis for the "millions of Democrats who may or may not be represented in either house of Congress."

Help The Party

2. Help the party deal on a broad democratic basis with "new situations which may not be dealt with in our platform."

3. Present new programs to "meet problems which arise during the periods between conventions."

The resolution also registered dismay at what it called evidence of "continuing deterioration of American influence in the rest of the world." It said too the "ineptness of the administration has largely contributed to the disaster which has befallen us and our allies in the Middle East."

"Confronted with the stark realities and heroism of the Hungarian people," it continued, "the secretary of state has admitted that the 1952 Republican pledge to liberate the satellites was not offered in good faith."

"These are merely recent symptoms of a foreign policy which has been based on expediency and makeshift. We must do better. We must develop a long-range policy which will restore American leadership and return diplomatic initiative to the hands of the free world."

Resolution Adopted

A second resolution adopted by both groups expressed support of efforts to obtain a "new realistic rule to limit unreasonable debate" in the Senate. It said this action keeps faith with the Democratic platform and added "we regret that the Republican party did not take a similar position."

Democratic National Chairman Paul M. Butler read the resolutions to reporters after the Advisory Committee—proposed in November by the party's Executive Committee—was organized. Although 20 Democrats in and out of Congress were invited to join, only eight have accepted and just five of these attended today's initial meeting.

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Filibuster Foes Smile

Sen. Clinton Anderson (D-NM) and Sen. Richard Russell (D-GA) smile together outside the Senate chamber during a break in the floor fight to change the rules to curb filibusters. Anderson has urged adoption of the new rules while Russell is the leader of the opposition. (AP Photofax).

Senate Group To Probe Army Contract Award

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4 (P)—President Eisenhower formally appointed former Sen. Walter F. George (D-Ga) today to be his special assistant with the rank of ambassador and a salary of \$20,000 yearly.

George's assignment, said press secretary James C. Hagerty, will be as announced last May—the President's emissary to the North Atlantic Treaty Organization and adviser to Eisenhower and Secretary of State Dulles on the "development and implementation of bipartisan foreign policy."

George's term as a senator expired yesterday.

Hagerty said Eisenhower took "a great deal of pleasure" in adding George, former chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, to the White House staff.

"He may be perfectly legitimate," McClellan told a newsman. But he said the matter calls for at least a staff check on "any possible violation of the conflict of interest laws."

Mrs. Claire Wynn Ross said yesterday, in confirming the contract award shown in Pentagon records, that her bid for 249,000 pairs of lightweight cotton wind-resistant trousers was the lowest by \$75,000.

"My husband has no more to do with it than you do," she said. "I saved the government \$75,000 on this bid. I don't know whether I'll make a nickel or lose a lot of money."

The contract was awarded last Nov. 13.

Ross is assistant secretary for legislative and public affairs in the Defense Department. His official department biography lists him as formerly vice president, sales manager and public relations director for Wynn Enterprises. An aide said Ross severed those connections in February 1952.

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Khrushchev Again Is In Circulation

LONDON, Jan. 4 (P)—Soviet Communist party boss Nikita Khrushchev was back in circulation tonight after skipping two important official functions yesterday.

Moscow radio said Khrushchev attended a Kremlin party for a visiting Communist East German delegation at the Bolshoi Theater opera. Khrushchev's absence when the Germans arrived yesterday and his failure to show up at the funeral of Soviet Deputy Premier A. P. Zavenyagin had raised speculation that he might have been ill or that something more serious might be afoot.

It was his work in leading Vienna in the dark days after World War II that made him revered by the present generation of Viennese. As president he was largely a ceremonial figure, the actual work of government being done by the Cabinet, lately under Chancellor Julius Raab.

A bachelor, Koerner once a week did his own marketing. On Sundays, his maid's day off, he cooked his own meals and washed his own dishes—a rare thing for a man of position, born of aristocratic parents in Central Europe.

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Ike Accused Of 'Purge' By M'Carthy

Claims President Responsible For Defeat Of Welker

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4 (P)—Sen. McCarthy (R-Wis) accused President Eisenhower today of "purge" action against former Sen. Welker (R-Idaho) in the November election. Welker lost his seat in that contest.

McCarthy broke into Senate debate on a motion to change the Senate rules with his criticism of Eisenhower. He referred to one point to "so-called Republican president."

McCarthy said Eisenhower placed his "stamp of approval" on a magazine article by Paul Hoffman which he said described Welker as a "man of dangerous thinking and reckless conduct."

McCarthy credited to the magazine article the defeat of Welker by Democrat Frank Church and the subsequent failure of the Republicans to take control of the Senate.

Purged Party Member

He said that last year, for the first time, the country saw a President of the United States try to "purge a member of his own party" in the November election.

McCarthy described Hoffman, a close friend of Eisenhower's, as a "throwback on the human race."

He praised Welker as a senator with a "rare combination of common sense and guts."

Senate Republican Leader Knowland of California quickly rose to answer McCarthy.

Knowland said that "in fairness" he would put into the record a letter that Eisenhower wrote urging Idaho voters to re-elect Welker.

"I spoke in behalf of the election of Sen. Welker," Knowland said, adding that he turned the Eisenhower letter over to Welker campaign managers and it was used.

When McCarthy completed his sharp attack on the President, Sen. Bridges (R-NH), chairman of the Senate Republican Policy Committee, walked over and shook his hand. Bridges later told a reporter he was congratulating McCarthy on his return to duty after a hospital stay and did not mention McCarthy's criticism of Eisenhower in connection with Welker's defeat.

Replies to McCarthy's speech were made by the Eisenhower administration. McCarthy said that even though the President did write "some milk and water letter" for Welker, "all the Eisenhower - for - President gang in Idaho worked against Welker."

Helped Defeat Welker

He said the "White House guard supervised" raising of money in New York City to help defeat Welker.

McCarthy said Eisenhower was trying to shape "a modern Republican party" and to read out of the party Welker and other senators who had opposed him. He added that the President conducted this at a news conference.

The Wisconsin senator shouted that Welker had supported most of the Eisenhower domestic program but had opposed "some hare-brained things such as opposition

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Abducted Or Hoax?

Actress Calls Trio Friends To Report Her Kidnapping

VAN NUYS, Calif., Jan. 4 (P)—Actress Marie McDonald, a beautiful blonde with a fabulous figure and a flair for dramatic escapades, vanished today from her luxurious home in nearby Encino. In the ensuing hours, three men reported she had phoned to say she had been kidnapped.

The gist of her remarks, as reported by the trio, was that she was being held prisoner by two men, but she didn't know where.

Police said they were proceeding as if they were working on a kidnapping. But officers declined to say definitely that the actress had been kidnapped.

Chief of Detectives Thad Brown said:

"We're a little inclined to think that it is not a legitimate, bona fide kidnapping. I am speaking for myself."

The telephone calls were to a movie columnist, to a British actor, and to her agent.

The agent, Harold Plant, told police he was called at 2:55 p.m. and was told: "I'm still being held captive." He said Miss McDonald was hysterical.

Actor Michael Wilding, a frequent escort of Miss McDonald, said she telephoned him at his

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Advisors Revise Mid-East Policy

President To Give Resolution To Congress Leaders Today

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4 (P)—President Eisenhower's top advisers are reported to have revised an emergency Middle East policy resolution he will personally urge upon Congress tomorrow.

Officials indicated the latest draft deals not only with American willingness to fight to halt outright Communist aggression in

the area but also mentions a danger of:

1. "Indirect aggression" by Russia through its support of any Middle East nation whose forces might launch an attack.

2. Soviet efforts to subvert independent Mid-East countries by means short of military aggression.

Officials said the core of the resolution remains a request that Congress give Eisenhower standing authority to use American military forces to stop any direct Communist aggression in the region.

No Use Of Troops

It was understood the newest draft, reported to be the 12th in five days, did not ask Congress to allow use of American troops to combat either subversion or "indirect aggression."

These other two threats are noted as serious problems which the Eisenhower administration will seek to combat in its drive to end Middle East tension.

As part of that drive, Eisenhower will also propose an unusual Saturday joint session of the Senate and House that Congress authorize a two-year program of economic aid to Middle East nations, starting next July.

The vote to table was 55-33.

All but three of the Senate's 96 members voted. The absents were Sen.-elect Javits (R-NY), who has not yet been sworn in; Sen. Wiley (R-Wis), a supporter of the rules change motion; and Sen. Neely (D-WV), who has been ill. It was announced that both Wiley and Neely were opposed to tabling the motion.

Twenty-seven Democrats and 28 Republicans voted to table.

The tabling motion was made by Senate Democratic Leader Lyndon Johnson of Texas and had the support of Sen. Knowland of California, the Republican leader. Southern senators also voted almost solidly in favor of killing the rules proposal.

Nixon Favors Majority

The vote followed six hours of debate during which Vice President Nixon, in an opinion hailed by supporters of civil rights bills, said a majority of the Senate can change the chamber's rules at the start of a new Congress if it wishes to.

Nixon declared that, in his view, the 1949 rule permitting endless filibustering on any motions to alter the rules is unconstitutional.

But backers of the rules change failed to muster a majority.

Defeat of the proposal was a blow to senators who had hoped to pave the way for the enactment of civil rights bills, but some of them said they felt such legislation still could be passed in the new Congress.

A similar attempt to revise the rules at the start of the 83rd Congress four years ago went down to defeat 70-21. Supporters of the 1957 proposal were heartened by additional strength they

Crude Oil Price Hike Passed To Consumer Level

NEW YORK, Jan. 4 (P)—Higher prices for crude oil were passed along to the consumer level today as two firms, the Humble Oil Refining Co. and the Continental Oil Co., raised the price of gasoline a cent a gallon.

Humble boosted its gasoline prices in Texas, effective this morning. Continental made it effective tomorrow in Texas and New Mexico, and President L. F. McCollum said the boosts were "a natural economic consequence of the recent increase in crude oil prices." Without such increases it would be impossible to maintain a satisfactory rate of return on investment at the refining level," he added.

An air of watchful waiting pervaded the industry as other major oil firms called top-level conferences to consider their next step. The price parade started yesterday when Humble, an affiliate of Standard Oil Co. (N. J.), upped the price of crude 35 cents a barrel.

Increases in the cost of heating oils, both for home and industrial users, also were considered a possibility. Some industry experts had expected the boost to come for heating oils instead of gasoline because of the huge surplus stocks of gasoline. These amounted to over 185,000,000 barrels at the latest count, compared with 180 million barrels the previous week and 165 million barrels a year ago.

Two men cannot be prosecuted as accessories because the man accused of doing the killing has been found insane and incapable of facing trial.

The two therefore were charged with conspiracy. If convicted they face nearly 10 years in prison. If they were convicted as accessories to a first degree murder they could face life imprisonment or execution.

Judge Joseph Carter commented that need for a new law appeared definite.

He said Maryland must be one of the few states that still relies on the old common law doctrines of accessories in trying to prosecute such case. He noted that in a recent Baltimore murder case the actual slayer had to be tried first and his conviction limited the degree of guilt that could be sought against others in the case.

Asst. State's Atty. Preston A. Pairo told Judge Carter the State's Attorneys Assn. of Maryland is preparing a measure to submit to the Legislature. Douglas N. Shadets also notified the court the bar association's committee on laws was making a study to draw up corrective legislation.

The case before Judge Carter concerned the murder of Samuel Spriggs, Negro, fatally stabbed last Aug. 16. James E. Evans, an escapee from the Crownsville mental hospital was indicted but found to be insane and incapable of facing trial.

Indicated on charges of conspiracy were Leroy Hargrove, 24, and Henry A. Scott, 27, both Negroes, who were accused of hiding Evans and helping him flee the city.

Judge Carter set their trial for the week of Jan. 14.

Doctors' Pay Hike Shelved

LONDON, Jan. 4 (P)—The British government today shelved demands for a pay increase by 40,000 National Health Service doctors threatening to boycott the socialized medicine system unless they get more money.

A Ministry of Health statement said the request for a 24 per cent increase in fees "could not be afforded under present conditions." The statement was issued after a two-hour showdown meeting between Health Minister Robin Turton and a negotiating committee of the British Medical Assn.

The doctors have hinted that unless they get a raise to meet the rising cost of living they might boycott the state-run system under which most Britons receive treatment.

The doctors complain that inflation has stripped away much of their actual income since the present fees were fixed in 1951.

The average doctor has 2,100 National Health Service patients, giving him an income from this source of about \$6,200. Private patients provide him a further income.

Hagerstown Seeks Slum Clearance

HAGERSTOWN, Jan. 4 (P)—The City of Hagerstown has hired G. Yates Cook for \$9,000 to help Hagerstown plan a slum clearance program.

Cook, who has done slum clearance work in Baltimore has offices in Washington where he is director of the Federal Citizens Council.

The city has set aside \$11,000 additional for a slum clearance program.

Ike Accused

(Continued from Page 1) to the Bricker Amendment, the status of forces treaties and law, foreign aid."

Knowland told McCarthy that he did not agree with Hoffmann's magazine article that criticized some Republicans and urged "a modern Republican party."

McCarthy referred to unsuccessful efforts by the late President Franklin D. Roosevelt to "purge" senators who did not share his views, but said Roosevelt made his fight in the Democratic primaries, and not against these same men after they won nomination.

Arundel Rezones Land Near Meade

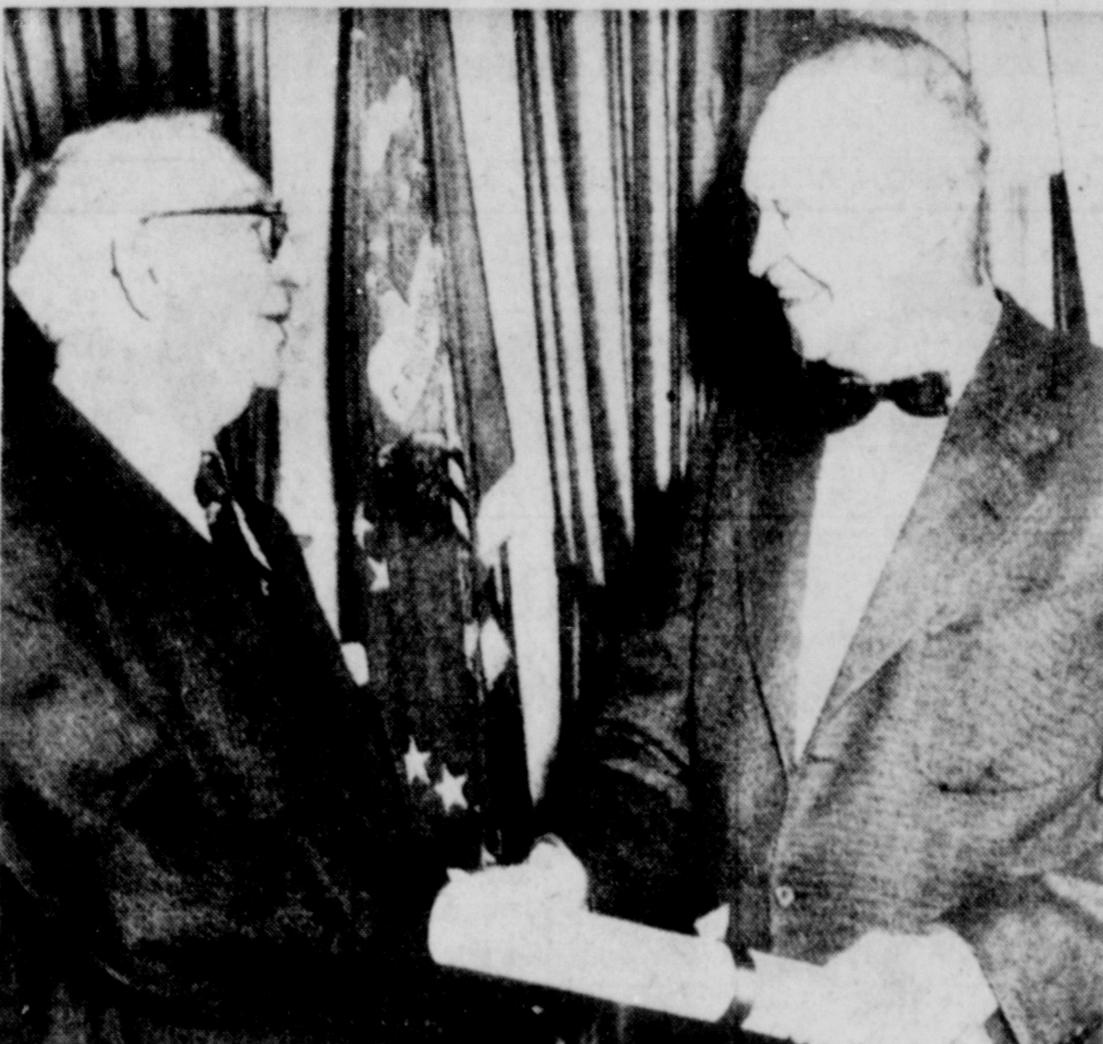
ANNAPOLIS, Md., Jan. 4 (P)—Anne Arundel County Commissioners have rezoned 60 acres near Ft. Meade to pave the way for construction of a proposed 30-million-dollar regional shopping center.

It is intended primarily to serve the thousands of employees of the National Security Administration who will move to Ft. Meade when a new NSA headquarters building is completed.

The property on the new Baltimore-Washington parkway has been reclassified from agricultural to a combination of light and heavy commercial.

John Bowie, part owner of the tract, said the center will be developed by Melvin J. Berman and Oscar V. Robinson.

Moles have been known to tunnel as much as 300 feet in one night.



PRESIDENT CONGRATULATES GEORGE—President Eisenhower shakes hands with former Sen. Walter F. George of Georgia and hands him his commission after seeing George sworn in as his special assistant with the rank of ambassador and a salary of \$20,000. George will be the President's emissary to the NATO. (AP Photofax).

Moxley Appeals \$50 Conviction

ANNAPOLIS, Jan. 4 (P)—E. Russell Moxley, chief of police of Howard County, asked the Court of Appeals today to reverse his conviction on a charge of electioneering within 100 feet of the polls at the 1956 primary.

Moxley was found guilty and fined \$50 by Circuit Judge James McGill.

He was charged with distributing campaign literature of George Mahoney in front of an Ellicott City polling place on Election Day May 7. Mahoney was seeking the Democratic nomination for U. S. Senator in a race with Millard E. Tydings.

The sole witness for the prosecution was Herman M. Reid, who testified that Moxley handed him a paper with Mahoney's picture on it as he entered the polling place.

Reid said he pointed out to Moxley that signs prohibited electioneering near the polls but Moxley told him "We don't pay any attention to those signs . . . since we got the machines."

Moxley denied Reid's version of the meeting. He said Reid did the electioneering, handing him a Tydings ballot and urging him to vote on the value of the oil. It will also increase the royalty owners' take.

Robert Thomas, a witness for Moxley, said he saw Reid offer the police chief a piece of paper.

Actress Calls

(Continued from Page 1) He quoted her as saying: "Tonight at my home these two men came in and abducted me. They drugged me. They gave me a shot of something. Apparently the servants must have gone out and left the door open. They carried me miles."

Police Lt. Ernie Johnston told him that the men were in "the next room," and added: "They think I'm asleep. That's how I happened to get hold of a telephone."

Carroll said Miss McDonald told him the men had telephoned her mother, Mrs. Marie Tubini, and her former husband, wealthy shoe manufacturer Harry Karl.

Carroll said Marie whispered, "I've got to go now," and hung up.

The police's first word that Miss McDonald was missing came from her mother. Mrs. Tubini said she received a phone call at 12:45 a.m. from a man with a nervous voice."

She said he told her: "We have Marie. No harm will come to her if police are not notified."

Mrs. Tubini called police and rushed to her daughter's home. She said she found the front door ajar and lights burning in her daughter's bedroom.

Marie's baby, Tia Marie, and the two 7-year-old children she and Karl adopted, were unharmed and asleep. The two servants and a nurse were sleeping. None had been disturbed. There was no sign of struggle in the house. The television set was on. The phone was off the hook. Her pet boxer dog had made no disturbance.

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West Is Still Facing Trouble In Mid East

By WILTON WYNN

CAIRO, Jan. 4 (P)—If the first week of 1957 is an indication, the West is headed for more trouble in the Middle East in the coming 12 months.

President Nasser started it on New Year's Day by signing a decree abrogating the British-Egyptian agreement of 1954. This meant that for the first time in nearly three-quarters of a century the West has no military base in the Suez Canal Zone—not even on paper.

The zone is the East-West crossroads from which Britain once dominated the area militarily.

Loss of this base creates what Westerners call a military vacuum here, and marks a significant shift in the military balance of power in the whole world. Until the Nasser decree Britain had the legal right to reoccupy the base, from which she finally withdrew in midsummer, in case of outside aggression against Turkey or an Arab country.

American efforts to fill this vacuum so far seem likely to cause more trouble. President Eisenhower will make bid to fill this vacuum by asking Congress tomorrow for stand-by authority to use troops in the Middle East, along with \$400 million dollars to be used at the President's discretion as economic aid in the area.

The Eisenhower proposals already appear to have impaired the two-months Arab-American honeymoon. United States prestige in the area skyrocketed when Eisenhower opposed the British-French attack on Egypt and insisted on withdrawal of their troops.

Talk of authority to use American troops here to oppose any armed Communist aggression however, has been sharply assailed in Syria, Jordan and Egypt. Arabs resent American talk of "filling the vacuum".

They feel the Arab states themselves can and should fill the void left by the destruction of British-French influence—not Russia or the United States. They insist America should try to strengthen Arab nationalism and Arab economy so the Middle Eastern states can live up to this role.

Leftist newspapers wryly point out that Eisenhower refused Soviet Premier Bulganin's proposal to team up with the Soviet Union to send troops to stop the British-French attack. Now that the invasion is over, the President is thinking of authorizing military forces if need be, these papers say.

Johnson said adoption of Anderson's motion would "lead to legislative turmoil" and that conceivably out of it could grow in some future year "a weapon that could be used with frightening consequences against minorities."

At another point Johnson said: "God forbid that we have come to the time when we turn the Senate into another House of Representatives." The House adopts every two years.

One supporter of Anderson's motion, Sen. Neuberger (D-D.C.), announced he will join in another attempt to open up the rules for revision even though opponents would filibuster.

Southern Foes Oppose

Southern foes of civil rights bills, and a number of other senators, opposed the move to change the existing rules which state: 1. debate on legislation can be limited only by a vote of 64 senators, two-thirds of the entire membership and 2. No limit can be placed on debate on questions involving revising the rules.

Nixon made his prepared statement as presiding officer of the Senate but emphasized he was expressing his own opinion. Under Senate precedents, he said, a question of constitutionality can only be decided by the Senate itself.

He skated Sunday for the first time at the age of 11½ months—just three weeks after he learned to walk.

His parents took him to a rink in East Peoria and the older and bigger skaters watched him roll around.

Rickey has his ups and downs, of course.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Donaldson gave their son Rickey a pair of roller skates for Christmas.

In fact, they met four years ago at a roller rink.

Clear Bridge Section

EL FERDAN, Egypt, Jan. 4 (P)—Two mammoth German salvage vessels gave a mighty pull today and cleared away a 165-foot long section of the fallen El Ferdan Bridge—one of the two biggest obstacles blocking the Suez Canal.

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Personal Income Rate Rises More Than Billion

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4 (P)—The annual rate of personal income rose by a little more than a billion dollars in November, hitting a pace of \$33½ billion.

This means that income to individuals would aggregate to figure if the November pace were sustained over 12 months. The term embraces all types of income—such as wages, farm income, dividends, and rents—paid to individuals.

Increased wage and salary payments accounted for almost all of the November gain. The automobile industry alone showed a rise of 750 million dollars.

Income from nonfarm properties and from investments was up by about half a billion dollars while income from farm properties dropped by about the same amount.

Monument Builders Begin Convention

BALTIMORE, Jan. 4 (P)—Several hundred monument builders from four states and Washington, D.C. are expected in Baltimore next week for a three-day convention, beginning Sunday.

Gov. McKeldin has been invited to address the luncheon Monday of the Tri-State Monument Builders, which has members from Maryland, Delaware, Pennsylvania and New Jersey.

Four Children Die In Fire

WELLSBURG, W. Va., Jan. 4 (P)—A flaming roof crashed down on four sleeping children near here today burning them to death while their hysterical mother looked on from a nearby home.

The dead, Carlotta, 5; Donald, 4; Rosetta, 2; and Pamela, 9-months, were children of Irene and Carlos Francis who lived on the Pierce's Run Road, about four miles north of here.

Arthur Barnhart, the children's maternal grandfather, said his daughter had walked the 30 yards to his home only moments before the blaze started. Only his restraint prevented the mother and her sister, Miss Norma Barnhart, from plunging into the flaming frame building.

The father, a truck driver mechanician for the Floyd Adams Coal Co., was at work when the blaze leveled the one-room wooden house.

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Elementary Principals Plan Dinner Monday

A guest speaker and discussion of projects will feature the program at the dinner-meeting of the Elementary Principals Association Monday evening. The meeting is to be held at 6 o'clock at Moon's Dining Room, 218 Davidson Street.

Horner F. Higgins, supervisor of pupil personnel, will be the speaker. His talk will be on some phase of the association's theme for the year. "The role the principal plays in guidance in the elementary school."

Harold S. Scott will preside at the business session, when committee reports will be given and the association projects will be discussed.

The committee of arrangements consists of Alpha Benna, Miss Myra Neffin, Mrs. Elsie Hill Roland, Miss Nellie Powell, Miss Loretto McGeady and Thomas Wagner.

Chorus Will Meet Mon.

The Allegany County Home-makers Chorus will set the date and begin rehearsal for its spring sacred concert at the meeting Monday evening, which will be held in the fiftieth room of Central YMCA beginning at 7:30 o'clock.

All members are asked to be present and bring their red song books.

A vice president and secretary will be installed and dues for the year will be collected.

Personals

Mrs. Walter A. Fraley Jr., 306 Cumberland Street, is a patient in Sacred Heart Hospital, where she is recuperating after an operation.

Miss Janice Baker, 626 Fairview Avenue, is a surgical patient in Sacred Heart Hospital.

Henry Yutzy, 39 Oak Street, is a surgical patient in Sacred Heart Hospital.

Mrs. T. E. Urie has returned to East Chicago, Ind., after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Swauger, 137 Hanover Street.

Mrs. Wilma Imes, 443 Columbia Street, Mr. and Mrs. William Clark, Paw Paw Way, have re-

Chairmen Train For Program

Including work simplification in the 1957 program of the Home-makers Clubs, training meetings were held for Home Management chairmen yesterday and Wednesday by Miss Joanne Reitz, University of Maryland. The chairmen will conduct two meetings in February, March or April.

Two representatives from the Heart Association were guests, as the program will be in cooperation with the Heart Association in order that any cardiac patients may be referred to the club meeting in their locality.

Miss Reitz discussed the principles of work simplification, then made application to the various areas and phases of work in the home. They include: keep everything within easy reach; use best equipment; combine jobs or part of a job; leave out any part of a job; make both hands work; and work in a comfortable position.

After Wednesday's meeting the assignment was to apply the principles to some task and report at yesterday's meeting.

Twenty women attended the first session and 14 the second. Seventeen clubs were represented. They are Barrellville-Wellersburg, Bedford Road, Bowling Green, Cresap, East Side, Eckhart, Flintstone, Happy Valley, LaVale, Mapleside, North Branch, North Cumberland, Oldtown, Progressive Young Women, Twiggstown, Valley Road and Westernport.

turned after spending Christmas and the holidays with relatives in Jacksonville and St. Petersburg, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Varella, Detroit, and Norman Means, Missoula, Montana, were holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Means, 508 North Mechanic Street.

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OFFICERS ARE INSTALLED — Mrs. D. Elwood Williams Jr., Annapolis, president of the Maryland Council of United Church Women, seated fourth from the left, officiated at the installation of officers of Cumberland Council of Church Women yesterday at Emmanuel Episcopal Church parish house. Others, seated left to right, are Mrs. John Cook Sr., Christian Social Relations secretary; Mrs. R. C. Istiminger, recording secretary; Mrs. D. A. Roth, second vice president; Mrs. Williams,

Mrs. F. Lee Fresh, president; Mrs. Ansel Matthews, first vice president. Standing are Mrs. Jack Means, financial chairman; Mrs. J. A. Leader, chairman of The Church Woman; Mrs. Albert H. Northcraft, Public Relations chairman; Mrs. Lester Martin, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Henry Pyles, chairman of Christian World Relations; Mrs. Ersal Shewbridge, treasurer; Mrs. Walter Edwards, chairman of Christian World Missions and Mrs. R. Finley Thompson, co-chairman of World Missions.

Mrs. Jones, A. J. Feigus Top Field

Mrs. Emmett Jones and A. J. Feigus topped the field of 62 players at the Full Master Point Bridge Association. Eight tables in Section A playing 24 boards with a top of seven on each and an average of 84; and seven and one half tables in B Section playing 24 boards North and South with a top of six on each and an average of 72, and 21 boards East and West with a top of six and average of 63, featured the game, at the Woman's Civic Club house.

First place winners N-S in Section A with 116 and an average of 69 were Mrs. Norman Taylor and George Bottorff; second with 104

were S. Russ Minter and Richard Winer; third with 84 plus, Edgar Dawson and John Moberly. East

West first place with 110 were Mrs. Newton Kidd, national president of the Woman's Society of

World Services of the Evangelical United Brethren of Baltimore, is to be the speaker.

Reporting on the World Day of Prayer observance, Mrs. Walter Edwards announced it will be held March 8 in five churches in and around Cumberland. The theme is "Who Shall Separate Us?" Mrs. Wallace Wilson and Mrs. Jack Means gave routine reports.

Mrs. D. Elwood Williams, An-

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METHODIST

Centre Street Methodist, 217-225 N. Centre Street, Howard M. Amoss, D. D., Paul Conley, ministers. Church school for all ages, 9:45 a. m.; morning worship services, 9:45 and 11 a. m.; Holy Communion, sermon, "Sacrament of Holy Communion." Dr. Amoss; Senior High Fellowship, 6 p. m.; Larry Cessna, leader; Intermediate Fellowship, 6:30 p. m.; evening worship service, 7:30 p. m.; Holy Communion, sermon subject, "In New Pathways." Rev. Conley.

Grace Methodist, 130 Virginia Avenue, Rev. Adam E. Grim, pastor. Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.; worship, 11 a. m., subject, "Looking forward in the year of nineteen hundred and fifty-seven"; Youth Fellowship, 6:30 p. m.; worship, 7:30 p. m. Union service in Second Baptist Church with Dr. Frank C. Laubach as the speaker.

Trinity Methodist, 122 Grand Avenue, Rev. Louis P. Chastain, pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.; worship, 11 a. m., subject, "The Backward Look"; worship, 7:30 p. m. Week of Prayer Services begin at Second Baptist Church. Dr. Frank C. Laubach will speak.

Emmanuel Methodist, Humbird Street, Rev. Kenneth W. Grove, pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.; worship, 11 a. m., subject, "Holy Communion."

First Methodist, Bedford Street, Rev. Everett W. Culp, pastor. Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.; worship, subject, "Christ's Desire for Holy Communion"; Youth Fellowship, 6:30 p. m.; worship, 7:30 p. m. Universal Week of Prayer Theme.

Cumberland Methodist Circuit, Rev. B. F. Hartman, pastor. Fairview, Fairview Avenue at Franklin Street. Worship, 9:30 a. m.; Holy Communion, Sunday School, 10:45 a. m.; Melvin Reynolds at Marion Streets. Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.; worship, 11 a. m., Holy Communion. **Maple-side**, East First Street at Maple. Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.; worship, 7:30 p. m., Holy Communion.

Kingsley Methodist, 242 Williams Street, Rev. Jacob H. Snyder, pastor. Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.; worship, 11 a. m., Holy Communion, subject, "Self-Examination"; Junior Bible Study, 6 p. m.; MYF, 6 p. m.; worship, 7 p. m., subject, "The Wages of Sin."

Davis Memorial Methodist, Oldtown Road, Rev. Charles C. Huffman, pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.; worship, 11 a. m., subject, "Blessed or Buried Talents"; Methodist Youth Fellowship, 6:30 p. m.; worship, 7:30 p. m., subject, "The Lord is A Great God."

Metropolitan A. M. E., Decatur and Frederick Streets, Rev. Charles E. Walden Sr., pastor. Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.; worship, 11 a. m., subject, "An Open Door," Holy Communion; Allen Christian Endeavor League, 7 p. m.

Park Place Methodist, Narrows Park, Rev. Bruce K. Price, pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.; worship, 11 a. m., subject, "Together on the Road to God"; MYF, 6:30 p. m.

Cresapton Methodist, Rev. Raymond M. Crowe, pastor. Church school, 9:45 a. m.; worship, 11 a. m. with the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper; Youth Fellowship, 6:30 p. m.; worship, 7:30 p. m., with the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper.

LaVale Methodist, W. W. Patterson, minister. Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.; worship, 11 a. m., sermon, "The Church in 1957"; Youth Fellowship Hour, 6:30 p. m.; worship, 7:30 p. m., sermon, "The Redeeming God."

Calvary Methodist, Ridgeley, Harold L. May, minister. Church school, 9:45 a. m.; worship, 11 a. m., Holy Communion. Communion Meditation, "Forgiveness: Life's Greatest Blessing"; Methodist Youth Fellowship, 6:45 p. m.; evening service, 7:30 p. m.; Holy Communion will be offered. Subject, "Teach Us To Pray."

Mt. Pleasant Methodist, Mt. Pleasant Road, Rev. Adam E. Grim, pastor. Sunday School, 10:30 a. m.; worship, 9:30 a. m., subject, "Looking forward in the year of nineteen hundred and fifty-seven"; worship, 7:30 p. m., Union Service in Second Baptist Church with Dr. Frank C. Laubach as the speaker.

Mt. Fairview Methodist, Irons Mt. off Williams Road, Rev. Kenneth W. Grove, pastor. Sunday School, 2 p. m.; worship, 3 p. m., subject, "Holy Communion."

Union Grove Methodist Charge, Louis L. Erick, minister. Holy Communion at all services. Elliott, Worship service, 9:15 a. m.; Sunday School, 10 a. m.; **Pleasant Grove**, Worship service, 10 a. m.; Sunday School, 11 a. m. **Centenary**, Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.; worship service, 11 a. m.; **Zion**, Sunday School, 10 a. m.; worship service, 7:30 p. m.

Rawlings and Dawson Methodist Churches, Rev. F. Glenn Creek, pastor. **Rawlings**, Worship, 9:45 a. m.; Church school, 10:50 a. m.; MYF, 6 p. m. **Dawson**, Church school, 10 a. m.; worship, 11:15 a. m.; MYF, 7 p. m.

Oldtown Methodist, William Anderson, minister. **Paradise**, Worship, 9:45 a. m.; Church school, 10:45 a. m.; **Mt. Olive**, Church school, 10 a. m.; worship, 11 a. m. **Olivers Grove**, Church school, 10 a. m.; MYF, 7 p. m. **Oldtown**, Church school, 10 a. m.; worship, 7:30 p. m.

Ellerslie Methodist, Rev. Paul R. O'Brien, pastor. Sunday School, 10 a. m.; MYF, 7 p. m.; worship, 7:30 p. m., subject, "I Believe in God."

Corriganville Methodist, Rev. Paul R. O'Brien, pastor. Sunday School, 10:30 a. m.; worship, 9:30 a. m., subject, "Holy Communion."

Wills Creek Chapel, Rev. Paul R. O'Brien, pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.; worship, 11 a. m., subject, "In the Year of Our Lord."

Midland Charge, Charles S. Reckley, minister. **Midland**, Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.; worship, 11 a. m. **Woodland**, Sunday School, 10:45 a. m.; worship, 9:45 a. m. **Shaff**, Sunday School, 10:30 a. m.; worship, 7:30 p. m. Beginning of Universal Week of Prayer Meetings with Mrs. Sada Trippett of Cumberland as the speaker each evening at 7:30 p. m.

Flintstone Methodist Charge, Rev. Edward R. Hanchester, pastor. **Chanesville**, Worship, 9:45 a. m.; Sunday School, 10:45 a. m.; **Flintstone**, Sunday School, 10 a. m.; worship, 11 a. m.; **Murley's Branch**, Sunday School, 1 p. m.; worship, 2 p. m. **Mt. Colier**, Sunday School, 11 a. m.; **Mt. Herman**, Sunday School, 10 a. m.; worship, 7:30 p. m.

Barton Methodist, Rev. Byron H. Keesee, pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.; worship, 10:45 a. m., subject, "The Tragedy of Time"; "New Year's Message, Series 2"; MYF, 6:30 p. m.

Prosperity-Oakdale Methodist Charge, RFD 2, Flintstone, Rev. Irvin G. Allen, pastor. **Prosperity**, Sunday School, 10 a. m.; worship, 7:30 p. m. **Oakdale**, Sunday School, 10 a. m.; **Beans Cove**, Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.; worship, 10:30 a. m.

Paw Paw Methodist, Rev. Richard L. Hamilton, pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.; Methodist Youth Fellowship, 6:30 p. m., topic, "Boy Meets Girl"; worship, 7:30 p. m., subject, "The Seasons of the Church."

Sulphur Springs Methodist, Kifer, Rev. Richard L. Hamilton, pastor. Sunday School, 10 a. m.; worship, 11 a. m., subject, "For Whom the Bells Toll."

UNITED BRETHREN

Bethany Evangelical United Brethren, Fourth and Race Streets, Rev. E. E. Miller, D.D., pastor. Sunday School 11 a. m., worship 10 a. m., subject, "How to Make the Most of the New Year." Youth Fellowship 6 p. m.

Bethel Evangelical United Brethren, Third and Seymour streets, Rev. Raymond Campbell, pastor. Sunday School 10:45 a. m., worship 9:45 a. m.

Calvary Evangelical United Brethren, 30 Mary Street, Rev. Raymond Campbell, pastor. Sunday School 9:45 a. m., worship 11 a. m., Y. F. 6 p. m.

Ridgeley Evangelical United Brethren, Rev. George S. Widmyer, pastor. Sunday School 10:30 a. m., worship 9:30 a. m., subject, "Springs Of Water." Junior Fellowship 6 p. m.

Potomac Park Evangelical United Brethren, Routes 22 South, Rev. George S. Widmyer, pastor. Sunday School 9:45 a. m., worship 11 a. m., subject, "Springs Of Water." Youth Fellowship 6 p. m.

Gravel Pit E. U. B. Church, Rev. Harvey L. Williams, pastor. Sunday school 9:30 a. m., worship 10:30 a. m. Sermon "The Three-Fold Purpose of the Cross."

The St. Mark's E. U. B. Church, Ellerslie, Rev. Harvey L. Williams, pastor. Sunday School 9:45 a. m., Youth Fellowship 6:30 p. m. Evening service 7:30 p. m. Revival services every evening except Saturday.



The Bennetts live here. That's Grandmother Bennett's Bible on the window sill, and the whole family goes to the church across the snow covered field.

John Bennett works in the local bank. Martha, his wife, is president of the PTA, and they have three lovely children. Grandmother Bennett has been living with them for the past couple of years, since she broke her hip. She can't always get to church in wintertime and that's why she calls this her window. When she can't be in church, it helps to be able to see it.

To her, the church steeple represents a great many things, and brings back many memories. Her son was married in that church. Her husband was buried from it. Her grandchildren were christened in it.

The Church has helped her to bear grief, in hours of sorrow; and it has seemed to put a benediction upon her happiness, in times of joy. Most important of all, whatever the occasion, whatever the crisis ... the Church has always been there.

To Grandmother Bennett, the most comforting thing in the world is knowing that it always will be there.

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BAPTIST
First Baptist, 212 Bedford Street, Rev. Archie C. Prevatt, pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.; worship, 11 a. m., subject, "No Other Gods"; Baptist Training Union, 6:30 p. m.; worship, 7:30 p. m., subject, "As Thy Days."

Grace Baptist, 213 Greene Street, Rev. W. Randolph Keefe, pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.; worship, 11 a. m., sermon, "Begin Anew"; Memorial of the Lord's Supper; Training Union 6:30 p. m., theme, "The Field is the World"; worship, 7:30 p. m., subject, "God's Year."

First Congregational, Bowery at College Avenue, Rev. J. F. Zimmerman, pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.; Communion Service, 8:30 and 11 a. m. Communion Meditation: "The Entrance Into the Holiest"; Youth Fellowship, 6:30 p. m.; worship, 7:30 p. m., subject, "Christ and His Church" a message from the Revelation.

Ebenezer Baptist, 211 Cumberland Street, Sunday School, 10:30 a. m.; worship, 11 a. m., subject, "Beginning Anew"; Baptism; Training Union, 6:30 p. m.; worship, 7:30 p. m., subject, "The Meaning of a Man's Religion."

St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran, West Main and Water Streets, Rev. William J. Yingling, pastor. Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.; worship, 10:45 a. m., Holy Communion.

Church of the Brethren, Beall and Stoyer Streets, Rev. Herbert Allford, pastor. Sunday School, 10 a. m.; worship, 11 a. m., subject, "The Lord's Supper"; worship, 7:30 p. m., subject, "Our Use of Fear"; worship, 7:30 p. m., subject, "The Way, The Truth, The Life."

First Baptist, Westerport, Rev. William B. Orndorff, pastor. Bible school, 9:45 a. m.; worship and sermon by the pastor at 11 a. m., theme, "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde"; Training Union, 6:30 p. m.; in the evening service at 7:30 p. m., the pastor will begin a series of fourteen sermons on the double verities in John's Gospel. The first subject, "How the Son of God, Became the Son of Man."

Second Baptist, Oldtown Road at Grand Avenue, Rev. Cornelius B. Davis, pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.; worship, 11 a. m., subject, "Message of Communion—Our Lord's Supper"; Baptist Training Union, 6:30 p. m.; worship, 7:30 p. m., Week of Prayer, Dr. Frank Laubach, preaching.

Bedford Road Baptist Chapel, Bedford Road at Mill Run Road, Rev. J. C. Ledbetter, pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.; worship, 11 a. m., subject, "For Such a Time as This."

REFORMED
St. Mark's Evangelical and Reformed Church, Park and Harrison Streets, Rev. Carl H. Clapp, pastor. Sunday School, 9:30 a. m. Sunday church school, classes for all ages, 11 a. m. worship. Subject: How to observe Sunday. Sermonette: Lessons from a little Candle 7 p. m. Youth Fellowship.

Zion Evangelical and Reformed, 403-407 North Mechanic Street, Sunday School 9:30 a. m., morning worship 10:45 a. m., Guest speaker, Mr. Larry Fisher, seminary student.

St. Matthew's Evangelical and Reformed, Rt. 6—Bowling Green, Rev. John B. Zinn, pastor. Sunday School 9:45 a. m., worship 11 a. m., subject, "Turning Over a New Leaf." Installation and ordination of church officers. Youth Fellowship 6:30 p. m.

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**Moose Legion
Will Honor
Ed. J. Habeeb**

**Banquet Planned
At Keyser Lodge**

KEYSER—Edward J. Habeeb, Cumberland florist, will be honored at the annual ceremonial of Potomac Valley Legion, 66, Loyal Order of Moose to be held in Keyser Moose Home, Sunday, January 20. Mr. Habeeb was the first Noble North Moose of the Legion, and organizer of the legion and held various offices in the Cumberland Moose Lodge.

The Legion of the Moose is the second degree of the order and is known as the "fun" degree.

A banquet will be served by Women of the Moose. Following the dinner a dance and floor show will be featured.

At a recent meeting, the office of West Moose was vacated and Charles G. Boyce, governor of the Keyser Lodge was appointed to fill the unexpired term.

The legion consists of lodges in Charleston, Romney, Piedmont, Berkeley Springs, Moorefield, Frostburg, Oakland, Cumberland and Keyser.

**Sunshine Girls
Honor Sponsors**

LONAONING—Gifts were presented by Victory Council No. 1, Pythian Sunshine Girls, to Mrs. Sally Schramm and to Mrs. Nellie Miller, at their meeting Thursday, at the Pythian building. Mrs. Miller and Mrs. Schramm have been instrumental in the organization and assistance of the Sunshine Girls.

The group discussed plans for holding a skating party in February. Further plans will be made at a future meeting.

**420 Receive Salk
Vaccine At Keyser**

KEYSER—A total of 420 people received Salk vaccine inoculations at the polio clinic held here yesterday in Grace Methodist Church. Mrs. Henrietta Allen, county health nurse for the Mineral County Department of Health said 350 of this number represented those receiving booster shots.

Another clinic will be held at the church January 31 to administer first and booster shots.

**Hyndman PTA
Meets Tuesday**

HYNDMAN, Pa.—Miss Jean Kerr, supervisor of special education for Bedford County, will be guest speaker Tuesday at the 7:30 p. m. meeting of Hyndman-Londonderry Parent Teacher Association in the Hyndman Grade School building. Open house is scheduled at 7 p. m.

The program will also feature the rhythm band of the first grade, song dramatizations by the second grade and singing games by the third grade.

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**Rev. Kenneth M. Rizer
Given Norfolk Pastorate**

**Served At Keyser
Church 11 Years**

KEYSER—Rev. Kenneth M. Rizer, pastor of Assumption Church, Keyser, for the past 11 years, has been transferred to Norfolk, Va., where he will take over the pastorate of Blessed Sacrament Church.

This was announced today in Richmond by Bishop Peter L. Iretton of the Richmond Catholic Diocese, who also named Rev. Joseph W. Hirsch as the new Keyser pastor. Father Hirsch, a native of Pittsburgh, was ordained in 1941 and comes to this area from Front Royal where he was pastor of St. John's Church.

Father Rizer, who was born 50 years ago in Syracuse, N. Y., was ordained from North American College, Rome, Italy, Dec. 8, 1933. He moved with his family as a child to Towanda, Pa., where he attended St. Agnes Elementary and High School. He later attended St. Francis College, Loretto, Pa.

Father Rizer's first assignment was a curate at Sacred Heart Cathedral, Richmond, where he served from June 29, 1933 until November of that same year when he became assistant pastor at St. Charles Church, Arlington. After eight years he was transferred to St. Patrick's, Richmond, and four years later (Aug. 21, 1945) became pastor at Keyser.

During Father Rizer's administration at Church of the Assumption, a parochial elementary school, first of its kind, was opened in Keyser and several years ago he instituted Our Lady of Grace Mission at Blue Beach. The school, St. Francis, was dedicated Dec. 8, 1955.

Father Rizer's brother, James, is also a priest, being assistant pastor at Lady of Blessed Sacrament Church, Port Richmond, Va. Their mother, Mrs. James Rizer, is a Visitation nun at Monte Maria Convent, Richmond.

The transfers are effective January 17.

**Square Circle Club
To Install Officers**

ECKHART—New officers of the Eckhart Square Circle Club will be installed at a meeting scheduled for January 8, at 7:30 p. m. in the clubhouse, Frog Hollow Road.

Louis Crowe will be installed as president of the club; Edwin Eckhart vice president, Gordon Plummer, secretary, Harold Hollinger, treasurer, Charles Porter, Thomas O'Brien and Willard Lewis trustees. Committees to serve for the coming year will be appointed by the newly installed president.

Following the installation ceremony which will be in charge of Richard Watson, retiring president, a program of entertainment has been arranged. Several reels of outdoor movies will be shown by Gerald Linn, Joseph A. Minke, regional game warden will speak briefly. Refreshments will be served immediately after the program.

**Homemakers Meet
Tuesday At McCole**

KEYSER—McCoole Homemakers will meet Tuesday at 1:30 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Albert Robinson, 11 Sharpless Street. Routine business will be transacted and members are notified that Blue Cross dues will be payable.

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REV. K. M. RIZER

**Romney Court
Sentences Man
And Youth, 17**

ROMNEY—Two of the six persons indicted by the grand jury of the January term of Hampshire County Circuit Court this week were sentenced Thursday after pleading guilty before Judge Harlan M. Calhoun.

Judge Calhoun imposed the stiff sentence after noting that Rexrode had a lengthy record of convictions in both Virginia and Maryland and had served prison terms in both states.

A 17-year-old District of Columbia youth, former resident of this community, was sentenced to the West Virginia School for Boys at Pruntytown until he becomes 21 years of age after pleading guilty to a charge of stealing a quantity of hunting equipment.

Stolen from the car of a deer hunter in Romney, and later found buried in the woods near there, was a .270 caliber rifle with telescope, a .222 caliber rifle, a suede jacket and a man's traveling case. Also found in the buried cache was a .22 caliber rifle owned by a Romney man, and a foreign-made shotgun whose ownership has not yet been ascertained.

Hampshire County authorities are still trying to determine the ownership of a large quantity of hunting and fishing equipment found in a room of a local home owned by the youth's parents.

The teenager has persisted in denying having any knowledge of where the articles came from and how they got to the room of the home.

West Virginia State Police have requested owners of cottages along the South Branch to inspect the articles at the Romney headquarters and see if ownership can be determined.

**Fire Company Holds
Annual Installation**

MT. SAVAGE—The Mt. Savage Fire Company met recently in the fire hall. The following officers were installed by Harry Walters, Corriganville; President, Eugene Miller; vice president, Charles Robertson; treasurer, Albert Swauger; secretary, Robert Dickel; chief, James McKenzie.

Trustees—Eugene Martin, Eugene Often, George Carder, Francis Dickel and William Dickel; delegates—Edward Malloy, Albert Swauger, Grover Green, James Smith, Alonzo O'Neal.

Entertains Club

MT. SAVAGE—Mrs. Alice Meade entertained the Cheerful Card Club at the home of Mrs. John Collins, Cumberland. After a turkey dinner was served cards were played and prizes were won by Mrs. Anna Marie Williams, Mrs. Alice Meade, Mrs. Adelaide Logsdon and Mrs. Cecelia Albright. The next club meeting will be held at the home of Miss Martha Reagan on January 8. Miss Mary Murray was admitted as a new member.

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**Sewage Plant
Issue Delayed
In Tri Towns**

**Officials Need
More Information**

WESTERNPORT—Officials of Luke, Westernport and Piedmont agreed to withhold any decision on a possible cost survey for possible municipal use of a waste treatment plant to be built at the West Virginia Pulp and Paper Company's mill at Luke.

At a meeting in the Westernport Council Chamber, the mayors and commissioners of the Tri-Towns committees discussed the possibility of tying in with the \$3,000,000 project contemplated by the paper mill in conjunction with its \$50,000,000 expansion program.

The town officials met with two representatives of the Robert T. Register consultant engineering firm of Baltimore and discussed possible costs to the three municipalities.

The consultant engineers, Harry Bremer and William H. Marman of Cumberland, said they could give no estimate of the anticipated cost to the towns for interceptor sewers and other facilities necessary to use the sewage treatment plant until a preliminary survey is made and a data report compiled.

They told the town commissioners this type of survey and report would cost about \$2,500.

The community officials said they would not authorize a survey at this time until further studies are made as to what the paper plant plans in its program and how much state or federal aid might be received to help defray the costs.

Another meeting is scheduled between town officials and representatives of the Maryland State Department of Health Thursday at the Westernport Council Chamber at 7:30 p. m.

The following day, next Friday, the mayors and commissioners will meet with mill officials at Luke to discuss the program.

Attending Thursday's meeting were Mayors Okey E. Michael of Westernport, who presided, Rodney Baker of Piedmont and Edward Duckworth of Luke; Commissioners Alvin Pence, Ray L. Wilt and Maurice Brundage of Westernport; Councilman Joseph Maybury of Piedmont, and Commissioner Manuel Diaz of Luke.

**Girl Scouts Plan
Skating Party**

FROSTBURG—A skating party for the ten troops of Girl Scouts in the Frostburg area has been planned for Saturday at the Mountain City Roller Rink, beginning at 1 p. m. and continuing until 4 o'clock.

Girl Scout Troop No. 4 will sponsor this party and Mrs. Gurney Beeman, Mrs. Kenneth Babcock and Mrs. Walter Minnick, troop advisors will act as chaperones. Each girl may bring a guest to the party.

FROSTBURG—Mr. and Mrs. Paul Yutzy, RFD 2, Frostburg, announce the birth of a daughter yesterday at Miners Hospital.

Birth Announced

The ceremony was sponsored by Queen's Point Lodge, No. 78, IOOF for the formal opening of the drive in which the Junior Odd Fellows in cooperation with the Theta Rho Girls, will work with adults in soliciting funds.

The Junior Groups at the preliminary meeting were drilled in their work for the campaign. Bruce Brandt is general chairman of plans for the juniors and is assisted by C. C. Compton and Marvin Oates.

Plans were made to purchase a piano for the new fire hall.

A games party will be held today at 7:30 p. m.

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Perched spectacularly on the edge of Blackwater Canyon, the Lodge commands a breath-taking view of one of the deepest gorges to be found east of the Mississippi River. From lookouts near the Lodge, the visitor can get a splendid view of the famous Blackwater Falls, which cascades 63 feet from its rock ledge to the canyon floor.

Skiing enthusiasts from the eastern half of the nation will welcome the advent of Blackwater Lodge, as it adjoins two well-known slopes at Weiss Knob and Cabin Mountain. Last year, this resort area, located south of the Mason-Dixon Line, had 14 good skiing week-ends, which is better than most New England

winter resorts enjoy. Ice-skating is also available in the area.

The new 55-room lodge will provide single, double, three-person, and four-person accommodations, as well as a spacious lounge featuring a gigantic fireplace, a banquet room and game room.

The most striking feature of the Lodge is the 300-person restaurant, whose three glass-enclosed sides offer a superb view of Blackwater River's chasm and gorge. Rates will be \$11 for a double and \$6 for a single room.

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Cigaret Tax Reactions Vary

County Would Get \$268,886

By HERB THOMPSON

ANNAPOLIS, Jan. 4 (AP)—Legislative reaction to Gov. McKeldin's proposal to tax cigarettes 5 cents a pack ranged from outright anger to cautious reserve today as General Assembly members took a first look at the announcement.

Youths Fined In Gas Theft

Three youths were found guilty Thursday of tampering with a motor vehicle in Trial Magistrate Court hearings before Magistrate Donald W. Mason. One of the boys also was found guilty of two other motor violations.

The three, Edward M. Ringler, 19, Mt. Savage; William Crosten, 19, Cash Valley Road, and Michael J. Birmingham, 16, also of Mt. Savage, were each fined \$25 and given 30-day suspended jail sentences.

Ringler also was fined \$15 for operating a vehicle without lights and \$10 for reckless driving.

The boys were arrested Saturday night by Trooper J. F. Stakem of the State Police after he had been called to a service station on State Route 47 near Wellerburg by the owner, Ralph O'Baker.

Trooper Stakem said Mr. O'Baker had complained several times to the police that someone had been taking gasoline from trucks parked on the station lot.

Late Saturday night O'Baker caught the youths in the act of taking the gasoline.

Ringler attempted to leave the scene in his father's car but crashed into a bridge. He also was ordered to make restitution of \$10 for damage to a sign on Mr. O'Baker's property.

Six Area Men Join Navy

Six area men have enlisted in the US Navy at the local recruiting station.

Robert Charles Brant, 216 Robert Street, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Brant; and Harry Ronald Eyré, 145 North Mechanic Street, son of Mrs. Leona Hartman Eyré, enlisted for four years each in the field of electronics. Both were members of the Naval Reserve unit here. They were sent to Washington Receiving Station for school assignment.

Philip J. Halterman, Moorefield, W. Va., a member of the West Virginia National Guard, enlisted for four years as an electrical seaman.

Bernard William Bruce, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Samuel Bruce, 427 Virginia Avenue, Keyser, W. Va.; Norman Edward Wratchford, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ervin J. Wratchford and Charles Richard Vetter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Holt Vetter, both of Moorefield, also enlisted and were sent to Bainbridge to begin their basic training.

Shaft Church Marks Week Of Prayer

Shaft Methodist Church of the Midland Charge will observe Universal Week of Prayer starting tomorrow and ending Sunday, January 13, with a service at 7:30 o'clock each night, according to Rev. Charles S. Reckley, minister.

Mrs. Sadie E. Triplett of Cumberland will be the special speaker. She has conducted evangelistic programs in Virginia, West Virginia, central Pennsylvania and the Baltimore Conference of the Methodist Church. She accompanies her singing on a piano accordion.

Celanese Official Addresses Group

John H. Reynolds, statistician for the Rome, Ga., plant of the Celanese Corporation of America, addressed the American Society of Quality Control Thursday night at Ali Ghan Country Club.

Mr. Reynolds' talk was entitled "Decision Making" and dealt with the importance of statistics in industry. Over 40 members and guests attended the meeting. The next meeting will be held February 7.

Volunteer Firemen Meet In Frostburg

Representatives of the Allegheny - Garrett Volunteer Firemen's Association will conduct their January meeting starting at 2 p. m. Sunday at the Frostburg Fire Hall.

George Comp of Deer Park will officiate at the group's monthly meeting.

Firemen Respond

East Side firemen were dispatched to the home of Clifford Ross at 210 Milton Place at 6:49 p. m. yesterday and found a leaking refrigerator which they carried to the back porch. There was no damage. The firemen were back at their station at 7 p. m.

State Senate Urges Ike Not To Invite Tito

ANAPOLIS, Jan. 4 (AP)—The Maryland Senate urged President Eisenhower today not to invite Marshal Tito of Yugoslavia to the United States.

The vote was 15-3 on a resolution by Sen. Joseph A. Bertorelli, Democrat from Baltimore. Four senators passed and one asked to be excused from the voting.

Most of those who did not vote for the resolution said they agreed in principle with its criticism of Tito for "odium and despicable actions in leading the nations of the world in his persecution of religion."

But they expressed doubt about the wisdom of a state legislative body's taking a stand on an international question.

Bertorelli obtained a suspension of the rules to enable the Senate to vote on the measure on the same day it was introduced. A similar move in the House of Delegates, where Del. Benjamin A. Mroznik of Baltimore introduced a similar resolution, failed and the measure was referred to committee for routine processing.

In the Senate, Minority Leader Harry T. Phoebus (R-Somerset) suggested that Bertorelli's resolution be held over the weekend for further study. Bertorelli insisted on an immediate vote and Phoebus withdrew the suggestion.

"If we feel that this tyrant should be invited to our country, in view of his duplicity and past record," said the sponsor, "then we should remain silent."

In explaining his vote against the resolution, Sen. Frank E. Shipley (D-Howard) said he agreed in principle with Bertorelli's opinion of Tito.

"But this is a question of which I don't think we're fully informed," he said.

Also voting against were Sens. James (D-Harford) and Ramsburg (R-Frederick).

Those voting with Bertorelli included Sens. Friend (R-Garrett) and See (R-Allegany).

Brush, Trestle Fires Quenched

Population estimates from the State Health Department were used. They show 1,948,781 persons living in the 23 counties.

Rennie said all counties could figure on getting at least the amount estimated for them. The \$3 average was arrived at by taking the lowest tax yield of any county now taxing tobacco. In addition to Baltimore city and Baltimore County, Montgomery, Garrett, Carroll and Harford counties have tobacco levies.

Here is the estimated county-by-county share of refunds which would be due under the proposed tax:

Allegany \$268,866, Anne Arundel \$568,200, Baltimore County \$1,208,700, Calvert \$42,000, Caroline, \$56,000, Carroll \$155,700, Cecil \$145,500, Charles \$88,200, Dorchester \$102,600, Frederick \$208,800, Garrett \$63,888, Harford \$212,400, Howard \$86,100.

Kent, \$45,900, Montgomery, \$859,800, Prince Georges \$957,600, Queen Anne's \$42,200, St. Mary's \$106,500, Somerset \$63,900, Talbot \$58,500, Washington \$263,700, Wicomico \$150,600, Worcester \$86,400.

"Smoking" Reaction

McKeldin announced the tax proposal last night. As expected, it drew a smoking reaction from 11 legislators in Southern Maryland's tobacco growing counties and had the makings for a real General Assembly fuss.

Senate President Goldstein (D-Calvert) called it "silly" and pledged an all-out fight against it. Sen. Mattingly (D-St. Mary's), head of the Legislative Council's Tobacco Committee, said: "The man's gone hog wild!" He said the federal government already taxes cigarettes 8 cents a pack and that an added 5 cents would be a heavy blow at tobacco growers.

The House showed the least immediate concern over the proposal, generally adopting an attitude it would wait and see what other revenue proposals might be coming up as alternatives.

Motor Vehicle Squabbles

In the field of motor vehicle law, which promises to be another of the Legislature's most challenging problems, there were also objections today to two bills giving magistrates more discretion. The measures would let magistrates put violators on probation without entering a conviction.

Sen. Goodman (D-Baltimore 5th) announced his opposition with the statement the bills would "open the door wide to misuse of probation without verdict" and also to "political probation officers."

Del. Tydings (D-Harford) called it a "political bill" and unwise to grant to magistrates such a power that even circuit judges "use with much discretion."

His remarks were made at a meeting of the House Judiciary Committee which watered down considerably an idea to have a new standing committee handle

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DEATHS AND FUNERAL NOTICES

Girl Fatally Hurt In Crash

WESTERNPORT—Denna Elizabeth Foreback, 15, of Valley Head, W. Va., was fatally injured in an automobile accident New Year's Eve near Elkins, W. Va. Miss Foreback was returning from a basketball game when the car in which she was riding went out of control and crashed.

She was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Foreback. Mr. Foreback is a former resident of Westernport. Also surviving are two brothers, Richard and David, both at home, and a sister, Frances, also at home.

Miss Foreback was a niece of Mrs. John Gannon, Piedmont; Thomas Foreback, Beryl, W. Va., and Mrs. James Liller, Baltimore.

Services and burial were held Thursday at Valley Head.

SYLVESTER CLARK

Sylvester (Stogie) Clark, 69, of 11 Arch Street, died yesterday in Memorial Hospital where he was admitted December 7. He had been in failing health a year.

Born in Westernport, he was a son of the late Joseph and Elizabeth (Treiber) Clark. A former employee of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company, he had retired in 1953 after 50 years employment with the rail firm. Active in band activities, Mr. Clark was a former president of the old B&O Band and had played in the Cumberland Municipal Band and the Moose Band here.

He held membership in Cumberland Lodge 271, LOO Moose; Potomac Valley Legion of Moose; Cumberland Aerie 245, F.O. Eagles, and Local 212, International Association of Machinists.

Mr. Clark was the president of Chapel Hill Hose Company 6. His wife, Mrs. Martha V. Clark, preceded him in death.

Surviving are a son, Albert J. Clark, this city; a daughter, Mrs. Robert C. Wade, with whom he resided; a brother, Cecil Clark, this city; a sister, Mrs. James Howard, Paintsville, Ky., and two grandchildren.

The body will remain at the George Funeral Home.

Services will be conducted Monday at 2 p. m. at the funeral home by Rev. Adam E. Grim, pastor of Grace Methodist Church. Burial will be in Rose Hill Cemetery.

HUDSON L. YOST

BERKELEY SPRINGS — Hudson L. Yost, 63, died Monday in Morgan County War Memorial Hospital.

A native of Morgan County, he was a son of the late G. H. and Susan (Emmert) Yost. A veteran employee of the Potomac Light and Power Company, he formerly worked for the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company at which time he resided in Cumberland. Mr. Yost was a past master of Cemetery.

The body will remain at the George Funeral Home, where services will be conducted Monday at 10:30 a. m. Rev. James Tate, pastor of Gilpinton Assembly of God Church, will officiate. Burial will be in Glendale Cemetery.

Services were conducted Thursday afternoon at Berkeley Springs Methodist Church by Rev. Henry H. Rowland and interment was in Greenway Cemetery with Masonic graveside services.

KENTON ARBOGAST

PETERSBURG — Kenton Arbogast, 89, retired farmer, died Thursday night at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Dolly Evans, at Jordan Run.

A native of Grant County, he was a son of the late Peter and Elmira Pennington Arbogast.

Surviving, besides his widow, are two sons, John B. and Richard Arbogast, and a daughter, Miss Cynthia Arbogast, all at home; two brothers, William Davis, with the Air Force in Alaska, and Samuel Davis, Royal Arch Masons.

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BECK FUNERAL

A requiem mass for Joseph A. Beck, 53, of 114 West First Street, who died suddenly Thursday afternoon of a heart attack, will be celebrated Monday at St. Patrick's Catholic Church. Burial will be in SS. Peter and Paul Cemetery.

The body is at the Scarpetti Funeral Home where the rosary will be recited tomorrow at 8 p. m.

Members of the Elks Lodge will conduct a ritualistic service tomorrow at 7:30 p. m. at the funeral home.

Honorary pallbearers will be Bruce Mackey, Howard Hetzel, Ira Boyer, James Riehl, James Whitman, Hugh Kilroy, Joseph Shugrue, John Vandegrift, Garrett Davis and William V. Keegan.

Active pallbearers will be Leonard F. Little, Sylvester Shirell, Martin C. Felton, Benjamin J. Franklin, Francis Lyons and James J. Condon.

The Eagles will conduct a service tomorrow at 8:30 p. m. at the funeral home.

MRS. JOHN GRIMESLEY

ROMNEY—Mrs. Linda Georgina Grimesley, 30, wife of John Grimesley, died Sunday in Lime, Va.

A native of Hampshire County, she was a daughter of the late George and Thelma (Shank) Davis.

Surviving, besides her husband, are two sons, John B. and Richard Grimesley, and a daughter, Miss Cynthia Grimesley, all at home; two brothers, William Davis, with the Air Force in Alaska, and Samuel Davis, Royal Arch Masons.

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Services were conducted Wednesday at the Schaeffer Funeral Home here by Rev. Raymond Martin, pastor of First Christian Church, and interment was in Ebenezer Cemetery.

County Church Plans Addition

Allegany County building activity for 1957 began on a religious note.

At least the first building permit for the year issued by the assessing department at the Court House authorizes the construction of an addition to Mt. Pleasant Methodist Church just off the Baltimore Pike in Election District 23.

The 22-by-32 foot addition will serve as a kitchen and Sunday school room. Church officials said materials for the addition will cost about \$3,000 and members of the congregation will donate the labor.

Albert G. Slider of Oldtown got a permit Thursday for the

construction of a \$4,000 four-room frame dwelling. Charles F. Lowdyard obtained a permit for construction of a one-room addition to a house in District 21 for \$1,600.

Augustus C. Duckworth obtained a permit for construction of a two-room addition to his house in Election District 20 at Corriganville.

There are about 1,700 species of snakes distributed throughout the temperate and tropical regions of the world. They range in size from a burrowing creature a few inches long to the regal python, nearly thirty feet long and weighing 300 pounds.

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Canada And The UN Police Force

A permanent United Nations police force could be considered seriously at the current session of the General Assembly, depending on the success or failure of the UN Emergency Force (UNEF) in Egypt. The idea already has been advanced in Canada, which sponsored UNEF.

Roch Pinard, Canadian Secretary of State, told the UN General Assembly on December 5 that such a permanent force should be composed of troops from smaller member nations. He noted that ever since the Korean "experience" Canada had tried through the Assembly "to have member governments earmark units of their armed forces for UN police action."

"Although I think the Canadian government went at least as far as any other in this respect," Pinard said, "no government was prepared without qualification to place its forces at the disposal of the UN in advance for such a purpose."

A permanent UN armed force was contemplated by the UN Charter. Article 43 stipulates that all member nations "undertake to make available to the Security Council, on its call and in accordance with a special agreement or agreements, armed forces, assistance, and facilities."

The Korean War United Nations Command could hardly have been called a UN police force, even though President Truman called that war a "police action"; the command was created by UN authority, and 15 UN members plus the Republic of Korea contributed forces in addition to those of the United States.

It was Lester B. Pearson, Canadian Secretary of State for External Affairs, who introduced the UNEF resolution in the Assembly. UNEF is commanded by a Canadian, Maj. Gen. E.L.M. Burns, and has a Canadian contingent.

This does not mean that Canada looks only to the UN. Pearson has headed two special North Atlantic Treaty Organization committees seeking to expand the role of NATO.

These Days

By George E. Sokolsky

American Communism

The American Communist Party is having an unpleasant time trying to adjust itself to the various new lines which have been developing in the Communist world. The party has shrunk. Numerically, it is only a splinter of what it was in the 1930's. The admission by Khrushchev that Stalin had been anti-Semitic shocked the membership of the party, but when Khrushchev established himself as an anti-Semite, it damaged the party in the large cities of the United States where its members have made such a sharp point of racism.

The shrinking of the American Communist Party has produced an internecine war between the Titoists and the Stalinists, reflecting the quarrels within the Russian Presidium. It is believed that as a result of this strife, Eugene Dennis will soon cease to be the head of that party and Steve Nelson, a Yugoslav, and in many respects one of the most dangerous men in the party, may accede to Dennis's position.

Those who are following the Tito line are really returning to the ideas of Earl Browder when he changed the name of the Communist Party to the Communist Political Association and adopted as heroic personalities characters out of American history. For all of this, Browder was kicked out of the Communist Party on May 24, 1945 on orders of Stalin, and has remained outside the party ever since. Browder was denounced by the entire leadership of the American Communist Party at the time of his expulsion, but his ideas apparently go marching on. In fact, it is Earl Browder who is the real father of what has come to be called Titoism, but there is no indication that he will be invited back into the party or that if invited to return, he will.

William Z. Foster, currently Chairman of the American Communist Party, is apparently displeased with all the current shenanigans. He remains an outright and uncompromising Stalinist which, in essence, means that he is opposed to nationalistic Communism and disregard of Soviet Russia as the homeland of all Communists. In the course of this denunciation, he said:

"Some comrades, while repudiating Browder's crassest forms of bourgeois reformism and his ultimate renegacy from Communism, would resurrect what was good in his system. They look back nostalgically to the late 1930's when the Party was making substantial progress, overlooking the vastly more favorable situation then existing, when the Party was going along freely in harmony with the general mood of the working class and under a not hostile government, in the fight against Hitlerism and for the trade union organization of the basic industries; in contrast to the harsh persecutions suffered by the Party during the cold war years and its considerable conflict with the general mood of the working class regarding the origin of the war threat."

In this analysis, Foster is undoubtedly correct but what is important to those Americans who regard themselves as anti-Communists is Foster's claim that in the 1930's the Communist Party functioned under an Administration that was not hostile to it. This the anti-Communists have generally contended and it has often been denied. How far this lack of hostility went appears in the record of Congressional committees to some extent, but the entire story has not yet been told and undoubtedly will one day, possibly soon, be made public under the signature of Earl Browder whose relations with the Roosevelt Administration were, at times, very close indeed.

The Truman Administration in its latter days became increasingly hostile toward the Communist Party and instigated various cases under the Smith Act. The Eisenhower Administration started out to make mince-meat of this party but quieted down after a while, letting the course of events act instead.

The fact that the Communist Party has shrunk does not mean that it is innocuous. Whereas there may be a party cleavage between Stalinists and Titoists and Communists and Socialists, those who follow the doctrines of Karl Marx in whatever organization are enemies of the American concept of society and will continue to strive to pollute the ideas of American youth. The real danger lies not in the party organization but in those who still accept Marxism-Leninism as a creed; in those who now reject Stalinism because Stalin fooled them, but who do not reject Karl Marx. They are attempting to restore their position of influence by "Americanizing" the Communist creed—an unacceptable dichotomy.

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Better Check The Donor Frequently



New Mid-East Plan Would Boost U. S. Prestige

By David Lawrence

if this failed, then later through the United Nations machinery.

One of the curious pieces of misrepresentation which has been printed and reprinted widely is that Mr. Dulles came up with a users association plan last autumn and then backed away from his own proposal. This is a half-truth. Actually he became convinced subsequently that the British and French did not intend to rely on the negotiating process but had reached the conclusion that Nasser must be ousted and by force if necessary. The United States thereupon drew away.

Then came a long drawn-out discussion between Paris and London concerning the proper means of dealing with the crisis. America was in the midst of a Presidential campaign and this encouraged some British officials to believe that an independent course could be followed by them, even using force, and the United States would not dare to express opposition.

The United States, moreover, which found that Nasser was playing a double game pulled out of the Aswan Dam negotiations.

It is a sad commentary on the difficulties in conducting international relations these days that the petty partisans in Congress—and some of them abroad—took the position that Secretary Dulles had stopped the Aswan Dam negotiations too "abruptly." If the full story is ever disclosed it will reveal that America was much more patient during the period of Nasser's attempt at double-dealing than it should have been.

an' that the breakoff of the Aswan Dam negotiations was a wise move because it served notice that the United States would not furnish economic aid to those who were playing ball with the Communists. The public notice may have been sudden but Nas-

ser knew a long time beforehand that he had mortgaged his resources to an extent which made it impossible to grant the loan.

Then Nasser tore up the Treaty of 1888 and seized the Suez Canal. The subsequent negotiations to try to solve this new problem found America and Britain striving to find some way to internationalize the waterway. Secretary Dulles was convinced it had to be done through direct negotiations and,

it's a beautiful statue sculpted in vanishing cream. The Mahatma Gandhi found it an unworkable formula.

The Mahatma was bumped off by an assassin who wound his turban too tight. We'll believe in sweetness and light when the Edison Company gives us a box of chocolates with our electricity bill.

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Notwithstanding the very difficult position in which any Administration is placed during a Presidential campaign when important problems arise in foreign policy, the United States made it crystal clear that it was opposed to the use of force in handling the Suez question. This view was reiterated so often that when the British and French did decide to go ahead with their plan to use force they preferred not to "consult" the United States Government. They didn't do so because they knew ahead of time the Washington Government strongly disapproved. What they didn't expect was that the United States would go so far as to make this known to the world and vote in the United Nations to request the British and French to give up their military operations in the Suez area.

The fact that the American Government would need Congressional authority to join in any military measures in the event that the Soviet Union upset the peace of the Middle East was known to Prime Minister Eden many months ago. The President did not want to call Congress into special session to get a resolution of a "stand-by" or contingent nature passed because it was believed this would alarm the country and give the move more of an emergency significance than it really had.

So it was more or less agreed inside the Administration that the time to make such a proposal was at the regular session of Congress beginning in January 1957. It was discussed often in the National Security Council.

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Baering Down On The News

By Arthur "Bugs" Baer

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Eye Troubles, Heart Attacks, And 'Bath Itch'

By Dr. Theodore R. Van Dellen

tearing and obstruction of the tear ducts is the most common. In your case, each physician had the opportunity of checking this cause but apparently you didn't

give them the opportunity to follow through on the other possibilities.

A reputable ophthalmologist usually knows all the answers to this problem. Its solution will be quicker if you stay with him rather than continue shopping around. Physicians usually ask patients if they have been treated elsewhere, and what was done. They are grateful when honest information is supplied, because they prefer not to give a treatment that failed previously.

How many heart attacks can a person have and survive is a favorite question. The father of a Chicagoan had at least 17 before the fatal one. These attacks occurred over a period of many years and in no way incapacitated the individual.

A Londoner, La., woman had her stomach removed and wants to form a Stomachless Club. I'd be glad to supply her address to prospective members.

Your article, "Work Helps Mental Patients," was good. Our institution should do more work along this line," writes another reader. Rehabilitation is a valuable adjunct to the treatment of any disease, and there is no greater satisfaction than that obtained through accomplishment.

A Washingtonian sends a suggestion on warding off itching

Message To Congress Will Rebuild Our Alliance With Britain, France

By Drew Pearson

Lately Joe has gone into wrestling to try to pay up; in the last three months has paid \$124,000. However, the Treasury recently attached a \$65,000 trust fund left for his children, Joe Jr., 9, and Jacqueline, 13. Joe has not claimed this was racial discrimination.

As it now stands, the speech will be devoted primarily to foreign policy. Ike will issue a strong reminder that our traditional British-French allies are our true friends. He will also mention American sympathy for people everywhere who wish to be free. He will call for a big foreign aid program.

On domestic issues, Ike will call for mild reforms in farm legislation, civil rights, the Taft-Hartley Law and social security. He will also speak hopefully of America's prospects for continued peace and prosperity.

Two Negro Tax Cases

It's interesting to scrutinize the treatment two prominent Negroes, Joe Louis and Congressman Adam Clayton Powell, are getting on their taxes and how they are taking it.

Joe Louis, the ex-heavyweight boxing champion, owes Uncle Sam \$1,139,437 in taxes on the big money he once made in the ring. At that time money came easy, Joe didn't realize how high his bracket was, and he didn't lay it away for the tax collector. He never fudged on his taxes. But he did get behind in payments, and at the rate of 6 percent on back payments this can run into money.

Possible Rent Gimmick

Meanwhile, the grand jury has been digging into additional information supplied by an ex-member of Powell's staff that he paid his rent while in Washington by putting his landlord on the government payroll. His landlord was Belford Lawson Jr. This column checked into the charge and found that Lawson had been on Congressman Powell's payroll for \$77 a month from January to June 1945. These are the months that Congress was in session, and \$77 a month is not far off from the amount one would pay for the rent of a room in a private home.

The records of the House of Representatives also showed that Lawson was on Powell's payroll for \$88 a month from January to March 1946. This is money, of course, which is paid by all the taxpayers to a Congressman for his staff to help his constituents. It is not supposed to be paid for rent, or food, or the personal expenses of a Congressman.

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THE LITTLE WOMAN



"If you want me to shut the window, just say so!"

Television And Radio

by John Crosby

Candor Late At Night

Those who find Edward R. Murrow's treatment of his guests on "Person To Person" a little too gentle can now turn to Mike Wallace on whose program, "Nightbeat," the guests are treated

THE CUMBERLAND NEWS, CUMBERLAND, MD., SATURDAY, JANUARY 5, 1957

TV Today

SATURDAY—The programs listed below are furnished by the television stations. The Cumberland News is not responsible for late changes. All times are (EST).

Cable	Channel	Cable	Channel
WFTOP (CBS), Cable 3, Channel 9	2:00-2-Hockey Movie	KDKA Pittsburgh, Channel 9	3-Film Festival
WMAL (ABC), Cable 2, Channel 7	2:00-2-Bill Hikok 2	WBAL Baltimore, Channel 9	4-P'p'se Perry
WRC (NBC), Cable 4, Channel 4	2:30-4-Pro Basketball 4	WBZ Boston, Channel 4	5-France Welk
WTTG (DuMont), Cable 5, Channel 5	2:30-4-Ask It Basket 9	WPTV West Palm Beach, Channel 4	6-P'p'se Perry
	4-Capt. M'night 2	WJAC Johnstown, Channel 4	7-Orient Expr's 10
	2-Capt. Midn't 2	WBAL Baltimore, Channel 9	8-Pro Basketball 6
	9:30-2-Kangaroo 9	WBAL Baltimore, Channel 9	9-4-Perry Como
4-Garden Party 4	2:30-Ford Theatre 2	WBAL Baltimore, Channel 9	10-5-Movietime
Texas Rangers 2	4:00-2-Pick Temple 9	WBAL Baltimore, Channel 9	11-4-P'p'se Perry
Cartoon Capers 6	5-Bowling 5	WBAL Baltimore, Channel 9	12-5-L'ence Welk
Capt. Kan'ross 10	Gr'd Ol' Opry 2	WBAL Baltimore, Channel 9	13-6-Sid Caesar
Cartoons 10	9:30-3-Cross Current 7	WBAL Baltimore, Channel 9	14-7-Oh, Susanna
	4:30-4-Action Circus 7	WBAL Baltimore, Channel 9	15-8-Hev, Jeannie
Sky King 6	7:00-2-Oh, Susanna	WBAL Baltimore, Channel 9	16-9-Sophia Th're
Howdy Doody 6	9:30-2-Oh, Susanna	WBAL Baltimore, Channel 9	17-10-Jeanne
10:30-2-Mighty Mouse 9	4:15-4-Fight Th're 4	WBAL Baltimore, Channel 9	18-11-Sophia Th're
4-Mighty Mouse 9	5:00-3-Gus L'hardo 7	WBAL Baltimore, Channel 9	19-12-2-Mama
4-Johnny Joan 4	5:30-2-Mama 9	WBAL Baltimore, Channel 9	20-10-2-Gunsmoke
M'ty Mouse 2	6:00-2-Montie Cristo 6	WBAL Baltimore, Channel 9	21-3-Ozarks Jubilee
Quidnunc 6	6:15-2-Beat Clock 5	WBAL Baltimore, Channel 9	22-4-Geo. Gobel
Cartoons 10	6:30-2-Montie Cristo 6	WBAL Baltimore, Channel 9	23-5-T'ns & C'tys
11:30-2-Texas Rangers 9	7:00-3-News, Sports 3	WBAL Baltimore, Channel 9	24-6-Freeway Tre
4-Cowboy Th're 4	7:15-2-News, Sports 3	WBAL Baltimore, Channel 9	25-7-3-Pr'vate Play
5-Stars of West 2	7:30-2-News, Sports 3	WBAL Baltimore, Channel 9	26-8-Hit Parade
Buffalo Bill 2	8:00-2-News, Sports 3	WBAL Baltimore, Channel 9	27-9-Hit Parade
Cowboy Th're 3	8:15-4-Sports Time 4	WBAL Baltimore, Channel 9	28-10-Hit Parade
Cowboy Th're 6	8:30-2-Meet Champs 4	WBAL Baltimore, Channel 9	29-11-Best Movies
Movie 10	8:45-2-Meet Champs 4	WBAL Baltimore, Channel 9	30-12-2-Frontier
12:00-2-Big Top 9	9:00-2-News, Sports 3	WBAL Baltimore, Channel 9	31-1-T'ns & C'tys
Big Top 2	9:15-2-News, Sports 3	WBAL Baltimore, Channel 9	32-2-Freeway Tre
Waterfront 6	9:30-2-News, Sports 3	WBAL Baltimore, Channel 9	33-3-Pr'vate Play
13:30-4-Rodney Johns 4	10:00-2-News, Sports 3	WBAL Baltimore, Channel 9	34-4-Hit Parade
5-Mysteries 3	10:15-2-News, Sports 3	WBAL Baltimore, Channel 9	35-5-Cinema Six
Mr. Wizard 6	10:30-2-News, Sports 3	WBAL Baltimore, Channel 9	36-6-News, Sports 3
Bobo Clown 10	11:00-2-News, Sports 3	WBAL Baltimore, Channel 9	37-7-News, Sports 3
12:45 Ind'ry P'r'de 9	11:15-2-Late Show 9	WBAL Baltimore, Channel 9	38-8-News, Sports 3
1:00-2-Lone Ranger 9	11:30-2-News, Th're 2	WBAL Baltimore, Channel 9	39-9-News, Sports 3
4-Exlore Th're 4	12:00-2-Meet Champs 4	WBAL Baltimore, Channel 9	40-10-News, Sports 3
5-Lone Ranger 2	12:15-2-Highway P'ol 9	WBAL Baltimore, Channel 9	41-11-Inspiration 4
6-Film 8	12:30-2-News, Sports 3	WBAL Baltimore, Channel 9	42-12-2-Frontier
Big Picture 10	12:45-2-News, Sports 3	WBAL Baltimore, Channel 9	43-13-News, Sports 3
1:15-5-Learn to Draw 5	1:00-2-News, Sports 3	WBAL Baltimore, Channel 9	44-14-News, Sports 3
1:30-2-Boston Bla'kic 5	1:15-2-News, Sports 3	WBAL Baltimore, Channel 9	45-15-News, Sports 3
3-5-Movies 5	1:30-2-Meet Champs 4	WBAL Baltimore, Channel 9	46-16-News, Sports 3
Brave Eagle 2	2:00-2-News, Sports 3	WBAL Baltimore, Channel 9	47-17-News, Sports 3
Bowling 3	2:15-2-News, Sports 3	WBAL Baltimore, Channel 9	48-18-News, Sports 3
Movie 10	2:30-2-Buccaneers 9	WBAL Baltimore, Channel 9	49-19-Sermonette 2
	7:30-2-Buccaneers 9	WBAL Baltimore, Channel 9	

This is a fairly new idea in late-at-night programming, the idea being pretty well established that after 1, the viewers want to be soothed with music or old movies, that anything requiring the exercise of the brain at that hour should be shunned.

Wallace is not the first man to dip into late-at-night controversy. From time to time, Steve Allen on "Tonight" has had panel discussions on pretty serious subjects, sandwiched between the singers and the gags, and found that the viewers were enormously attentive. To my knowledge, Wallace is the first man to make a regular thing of this nightly searching of other people's souls. Far from being repelled, the viewers find themselves hypnotized by Wallace's pointedly candid questions which have startled most of his guests into some remarkably candid answers. Within a week or so after it started, the Wallace show was one of the prime topics of dinner table conversation around New York, the only place it can be seen.

Did you hear what Mr. Wallace asked Mr. John?" someone will say—and the rest of the guests will drop everything else for half an hour to discuss the Wallace show and the Wallace methods.

The methods might be summed up in two words: research and c-sups. When I was on the program once, I found myself asked to explain columns I'd long forgotten having written which Mr. Wallace and his researchers had dug up. While you're answering these hard questions, the camera is up tight as it can get on your face so that hesitations or evasions are written large as a

twenty-one-inch screen for all to see.

One of the recent guests was Harry Dube, of the Ringling Brothers Barnum & Bailey Circus, and Wallace peppered him with questions about the folding of the Big Top, asked whether John Ringling North's alleged drinking and "the amateurs" North had been accused of bringing into the circus didn't have something to do with it. Dube's answers were quite clear and satisfying.

Another guest, Irish actress Siobhan McKenna, starring in Shaw's "St. Joan," was asked by Wallace if she believed in Biblical miracles such as the parting of the Red Sea, Christ healing the sick, "Of course," said Miss McKenna calmly, whether she agreed with the statement of Tyrone Guthrie that Irish culture was moribund ("Tyrone Guthrie is from the North, I don't agree") or Sean O'Faolain that the Irish nation was committing suicide. ("Irish writers in America like to make drastic statements," commented Miss McKenna primly). Miss McKenna also got in a bit of hot water over some remarks construed as anti-Semitic which I can't believe she intended.

Another of Wallace's guests, Faye Emerson, made a remark which could be very well applied to his show. "I think people are the most interesting things on television," she said. At his best, Wallace does show off the people on his program; his show opinions. To Miss Emerson, for example, after describing the great range of her activities, he said: "You seem to lack a direction in your life—you go off in nine different directions. What do you want to do?"

"I don't want to do anything," said Miss Emerson. "I want to be Faye Emerson. I don't believe in one goal—success: I believe in living."

There was quite a lot more which resulted in a pretty well rounded display not only of her opinions but of herself. Of course, any questioning of this nature treads very close to the impudent and once in awhile Wallace steps over the border and gets into the realm of the irrelevant or the just plain nosy. Mostly, though, it's refreshingly honest, well informed and in good taste.

Naturally, the word got around about the program and some people have flatly refused to appear. I met a woman the other night who told me no power in earth would make her appear on the show, though frankly I don't think she has much to hide. Still, night after night, Wallace hasn't lacked for interesting guests and despite the bluntness of the questions, no blood has flowed yet nor has there been any ill will on the part of the worked-over guests.

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Bill Clarifies County School Board Terms

Hughes Proposes New Legislation

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Copies of the bill were sent by Del. Hughes to Superintendent of Schools Ralph R. Webster for distribution to the members of the County Board of Education for their comments.

Handicapped Bills Moved

Progress on bills affecting the training of handicapped children in Maryland was reported yesterday by State Senator Charles M. See.

He said SB 11, providing for special education for handicapped children under six years of age, received a favorable report from the Senate Finance Committee, was adopted by the Senate and ordered printed for its third reading.

Similar action was taken, he said, on a companion measure, SE 12 which calls upon the State Board of Education to take a census of handicapped children of both pre-school and school age.

Both bills resulted from the recommendations of a study group headed by Senator Philip H. Goodman (D-Ba-5).

Sen. See was an active member of the committee, attending all of the meetings held in Baltimore.

Births

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Collins, College Park, announce the birth of a son Tuesday. The mother is the former Miss Dorothy Doolittle, daughter of Capt. and Mrs. Clarence Doolittle, of Cleveland, Ohio, former residents. The paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John Collins, 413 Beall Street.

Memorial Hospital

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth W. Hartman, 921 Maryland Avenue, a daughter yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude R. Raycroft, Hillcrest Drive, a daughter yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eston L. Crites, Westport, a daughter Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Clay Ingram, 316 Piedmont Avenue, a son Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Montana, Frostburg, a daughter yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred O'Bar, Mt. Savage, a daughter Wednesday.

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LaVale Zoning Bill Will Be Aired Tuesday

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His address is part of the program sponsored by the U. S. Chamber to help local chambers develop sound legislative policies from a business point of view.

James Alfred Avirett, chairman of the Legislative committee, will preside at the conference planned in the Chamber offices here.

Each member of the committee will be assigned to one of the 15 major issues, and will be asked to familiarize himself with the relevant pros and cons, so he will be able to help guide the thinking of the committee.

These major issues include agriculture, atomic energy, education, foreign aid, housing, Hoover Commission, insurance, minimum wages, postal rates, power, "right to work" secondary boycott, Social Security, spending and taxes.

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Orchard To Plant Some Pine Trees

The Consolidated Orchard Company has cleared apple trees from a steep 25 acres of orchard land at the south end of Martin's Mountain and will reforest the acreage next spring in pine trees.

Gilbert Miller of the orchard firm said last night the company is gradually replacing old orchards with younger trees a block at a time. In this particular 350-acre orchard it was decided the grade in the 25-acre tract is too steep to spray the trees and harvest the apples economically.

The pine trees, which will be planted about April 1, will provide a future source of timber, Mr. Miller said. The company has bulldozed the trees and stumps and is ready to plant the pine trees when warm weather comes once again.

Sen. See Named To Six Committees

State Senator Charles M. See has been appointed to six committees of the Maryland Senate.

They include the Education Committee, Executive Nominations, Joint Committee on Investigations, Judicial Proceedings, Labor and Public Buildings.

Major legislation is expected to come up before several of the committees.

A meeting of all instructors will be held Thursday, January 10, at 7:30 p. m. at the Cumberland Savings Bank, Virginia Avenue.

The next meeting of the First Aid Committee will be held February 7 in the Red Cross Chapter offices, Post Office Building.

WSWS Unit To Meet

The Vera Blinn Women's Society of World Service will meet at 7:45 Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Robert Baker, Third Avenue, Ridgeley.

13 Persons Received Into Local Church

Thirteen persons were received into membership in St. John's Lutheran Church during the worship services Sunday.

Received by Letter of Transfer, Profession of Faith, or Reprofession of Faith were Mrs. Willard Athey, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bittle, Charles Canfield, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Daum, Mr. and Mrs. William Duby, Benjamin Elkins, Mrs. Dallis Hite, Mrs. Wilfrid Knipke and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Slivka.

Major baptismal services were received into the church during the past year and the number of adult members received into the church totalled 32 during the same period.

Local Man Injured While At Work

Melvin E. Bowman, 60, of 914 Tay Street, an employee of Consolidated Engineering Company, was seriously injured yesterday afternoon while at work at Pittsbrugh Plate Glass Works No. 7.

Mr. Bowman was injured when a truck slipped, pinning him against a wall. Mr. Bowman was admitted to Memorial Hospital with several broken ribs, a fractured collar bone and internal injuries.

On Wednesday Rev.

Rev. Adam E. Grim and Rev.

Cornelius Davis will lead the opening service, and James Hag-

er will sing. Monday the service will be conducted by Rev. Wayne

Eberly and the film "Each One Teach One" will be shown. Rev.

Ray Campbell will have Tues-

day's service and Emory Wallis

will sing. On Wednesday Rev.

Rev. Dr. E. E. Miller will have the

South Cumberland Ministerial

Association's annual Week of

Prayer beginning in Second Bap-

tist Church Sunday at 7:30 p. m.

and continuing each evening

through Friday are now complete,

according to Rev. David C.

Street, vice president.

The preacher for the week-long

series is Rev. Dr. Frank C. Lau-

bach, honorary president of World

Literacy, Inc., engaged in prac-

tical action against illiteracy

throughout the globe. Dr. Lau-

bach until his retirement from

the active ministry in 1954, work-

ed under the sponsorship of the

National Council of Churches of

Christ which speaks for 30 Prot-

estant, Anglican and Orthodox

churches in the United States.

Rev. Dr. E. E. Miller will have the

service and Harold Hanson's Fort

Hill octet will sing. Thursday

Rev. Chaney will direct and the

Allegany a cappella choir will

sing. On Friday, the last night,

Rev. Russell Fink will conduct

the service and the Fort Hill a

cappella choir will offer musical

selections. Nelson Russler will

furnish sound equipment.

Cooperating churches of the

South Cumberland Ministerial As-

sociation include Bethany, Bethel,

and Calvary Evangelical United

Brethren, Living Stone Church of

the Brethren, St. John's Lutheran,

Holy Cross Episcopal, First Naz-

arene, Second Baptist, Trinity

Methodist, Emmanuel Methodist,

Grace Methodist, Virginia Ave-

nue Salvation Army and Wiley

Ford Brethren. Tickets for the

men's banquet at 6 p. m. Monday

in Living Stone Church and the

women's luncheon Tuesday noon

in St. John's Church with Dr.

Laubach as speaker may be pur-

chased from any member church

of the association. The Week of

Prayer services are open to the

public.

The collection begins Sunday

night on the West and East Side

areas.

City And SRC To Confer On Thruway Plan

Meeting Planned In Baltimore Jan. 9

City officials will meet with the Maryland State Roads Commission next Wednesday to discuss the Cumberland Thruway Project, according to Mayor Roy W. Eves.</p